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This paper is being filed in response to a telephone conversation between Examiner Nadav and the below signing attorney, regarding a status inquiry in the above-identified matter. Examiner Nadar indicated that an Office Action made final was mailed April 5, Applicants, however, are not in receipt of that Office Action, as the last 2002. communication of record from the USPTO is the Office Action mailed February 13, 2002 (Paper Number 7). Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this Office Action be resent. The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned to resolve efficiently any formal matters or to discuss any aspects of the application or of this response.

> Respectfully submitted, KILLWORTH, GOTTMAN, HAGAN & SCHAEFF, L.L.P.

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